

Interview Summary

Application No.

10/565,697

Applicant(s)

YAMAGUCHI, KOICHI

Examiner

Thien T. Mai

Art Unit

2887

All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Chris Bennett (atty.).(3) Yuko Hosoo (representative).(2) Thien T. Mai.(4) Daisuke Keino (representative).

Date of Interview: 06 November 2008.

Type: a) ☐ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference

c) ☒ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☒ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: _____.

Claim(s) discussed: 6-8.

Identification of prior art discussed: Saito (6137447).

Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Discussed the differences between Saito and the claimed invention. During discussion, applicants agreed to consider amending claim 6 to clarify that the transmitting/receiving circuit is also provided on control substrate and that loop antenna and the circuit is electromagnetically connected to each other as the result of magnetic coupling to provide further clarity over wired connection. Update search is required upon receiving a formal amendment.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN A NON-EXTENDABLE PERIOD OF THE LONGER OF ONE MONTH OR THIRTY DAYS FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE, OR THE MAILING DATE OF THIS INTERVIEW SUMMARY FORM, WHICHEVER IS LATER, TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

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